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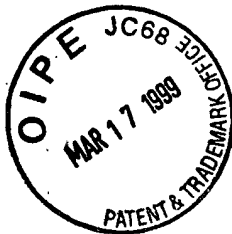
In re Patent Application of

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AIRCRAFT**



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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This is responsive to the Office Action (Restriction Requirement) mailed February 24, 1999, the date of response to which is March 24, 1999.

Applicant elects, with traverse, Group I drawn to a fairing arrangement for an aircraft, classified in class 244, subclass 215. The claims readable on Group I are claims 1-10 and 13-17.

In the event the Examiner is of the opinion that a brief telephone or personal interview will facilitate reconsideration of the Restriction Requirement and/or

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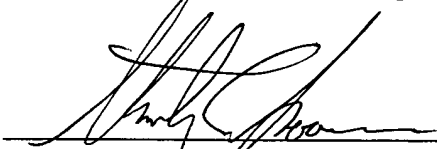
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allowance of one or more of the above claims, he is respectfully requested to
contact applicant's undersigned representative.

Respectfully submitted,

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